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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Atsuo Omaru et al.

Serial No. 09/810,962

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For: NON-AQUEOUS ELECTROLYTE
SECONDARY BATTERY AND METHOD OF
PREPARING CARBON-BASED MATERIAL
FOR NEGATIVE ELECTRODE

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AMENDMENT B

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Dear Sir:

This amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action of October 19, 2004. Reconsideration of the application is requested in view of the amendments and remarks presented herein.